

General Assembly

Raised Bill No. 37

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LCO No. 447



Referred to Committee on INSURANCE AND REAL ESTATE

Introduced by: (INS)

AN ACT REQUIRING HEALTH INSURANCE COVERAGE FOR PEDIATRIC AUTOIMMUNE NEUROPSYCHIATRIC DISORDER ASSOCIATED WITH STREPTOCOCCAL INFECTIONS.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

- 1 Section 1. (NEW) (Effective January 1, 2017) Each individual health
- 2 insurance policy providing coverage of the type specified in
- 3 subdivisions (1), (2), (4), (11) and (12) of section 38a-469 of the general
- 4 statutes delivered, issued for delivery, renewed, amended or
- 5 continued in this state shall provide coverage for the diagnosis and
- 6 treatment of pediatric autoimmune neuropsychiatric disorder
- 7 associated with streptococcal infections.
- 8 Sec. 2. (NEW) (Effective January 1, 2017) Each group health insurance
- 9 policy providing coverage of the type specified in subdivisions (1), (2),
- 10 (4), (11) and (12) of section 38a-469 of the general statutes delivered,
- 11 issued for delivery, renewed, amended or continued in this state shall
- 12 provide coverage for the diagnosis and treatment of pediatric
- 13 autoimmune neuropsychiatric disorder associated with streptococcal

14 infections.

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This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections:		
Section 1	January 1, 2017	New section
Sec. 2	January 1, 2017	New section

Statement of Purpose:

To require health insurance coverage for the diagnosis and treatment of pediatric autoimmune neuropsychiatric disorder associated with streptococcal infections.

[Proposed deletions are enclosed in brackets. Proposed additions are indicated by underline, except that when the entire text of a bill or resolution or a section of a bill or resolution is new, it is not underlined.]

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